

...experienced a 14.2% increase in population between 1990 and 2000, resulting in a 2000 total population of 16,196. In 2000, the county had 12.9 persons per square mile, a density much lower than the state as a whole. The median age in Sawyer County is 42.1, indicating a much older population than the State of Wisconsin, which has a median age of 36.0 years. The largest municipality is the Town of Hayward.

The median value of owner-occupied housing in Sawyer County is \$94,300. 48.7% of the housing units are seasonal, a value much above the state's average of 6.3%.

Farmland covers 6.0% of the county, while 42.9% of Wisconsin land is used for farming. The county is 83% forested and has 496 of the State's 15,057 lakes.

In Sawyer County, Louisiana Pacific Corporation employs more workers than any other manufacturing firm, and the Lac Courte Oreilles Casino & Convention Center is the largest non-manufacturing employer. The Service industries generate the largest share of the county's total personal income. Sawyer County's 1999 median household income was \$32,287.

		Population				
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	Males	Females	Total	1990		2000
80-84			Sawyer County	14,181		16,196
70-74						
60-64			Top Five Municip	<u>palities</u>		
			Hayward, Town	3,024	Hayward, Town	3,279
50-54			Hayward, City	1,897	Bass Lake, Town	2,244
40-44			Bass Lake, Town	1,717	Hayward, City	2,129
30-34			Lenroot, Town	966	Lenroot, Town	1,165
20-24			Sand Lake, Town	821	Winter, Town	969
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Quality of Life

	Wisconsin	Sawyer
Persons per Square Mile, 2000	98.8	12.9
Number of Staffed Hospital Beds, 1995	16,070	41
Average Birth Rate per 1,000 population, 2000	12.9	11.2
Public School Enrollment, 2000-2001	879,476	2,400
Number of 2000 Public High School Graduates	58,545	146
1999-2000 Public High School Dropout Rate	2.3%	2.3%

Vital Statistics

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Birth Rate (per 1,000)	14.8	12.4	12.9	11.2		
Death Rate (per 1,000)	8.7	12.1	8.7	11.3		
Number of Marriages	38,934	123	36,100	154		
Number of Divorces	17,727	67	17,337	48		

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	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Total Number of Housing Units	13,025	13,722
Number of Single-Unit Structures	10,988	12,064
Number of Multiple-Unit Structures	542	633
Number of Single Units Permitted	164	239
Number of Multiple Units Permitted	0	0
Percent Seasonal Housing	52.4%	48.7%
Median Value, Owner-Occupied	\$49,500	\$94,300
Median Rent	\$183	\$319

Recreation

<u>1995 Number of:</u>	Wisconsin	<u>Sawyer</u>
Campgrounds	1,106	41
Campsites	75,367	1,338
Hiking Trails (in miles)	5,617	312
Mountain Biking Trails (in miles)	3,155	360
Cross Country Skiing Trails (in miles)	4,154	201
Snowmobile Trails (in miles)	14,896	665
Visitor Expenditures, 2000	\$11,046,539,344	\$134,654,292

		Income	
	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Total Personal Income	\$96,846	\$176,702	\$357,309
Non-Farm Personal Income (in thousands) Farm Income (in thousands)	\$91,540 \$5,306	\$174,392 \$2,310	\$357,706 \$(397)
Per Capita Income	\$7,470	\$12,448	\$21,995
Transfer Payments (in thousands)	\$23,354	\$44,873	\$74,480
Proprietor Income (in thousands)	\$14,863	\$18,781	\$28,902

Banking

<u>2000</u>	Wisconsin	<u>Sawyer</u>
Savings Institutions-Offices	396	1
Savings Institutions-Savings Capital (Millions)	\$12,761	\$17
Commercial Banks-Offices	1,720	9
Commercial Banks-Deposits (Millions)	\$62,618	\$224

Government Finance

1997	Wisconsin	Sawyer
Total Property Taxes Levied (in 1000's)	\$5,144,206	\$14,402
Effective per Capita Property Tax	\$997	\$901
Total Expenditures (in 1,000's)	\$17,139,825	\$48,867
In Dollars per Capita	\$3,322	\$3,057
As Percent of Total:		
Education	43.2%	44.7%
Health & Hospital	4.5%	6.2%
Police	5.0%	3.2%
Fire	2.3%	1.1%
Public Welfare	6.8%	5.7%
Highways	7.7%	18.9%

Retail, Service, Wholesale

<u>1997</u>	Wisconsin	Sawyer
Number of Retail Sales Establishments	21,717	100
Sales (in thousands)	\$50,520,463	\$133,597
Annual Payroll (in thousands)	\$4,826,217	\$12,008
Number of Service Establishments	55,618	219
Receipts (in thousands)	\$48,559,607	\$69,331
Annual Payroll (in thousands)	\$18,990,629	\$23,036
Number of Wholesale Establishments	8,025	8
Sales (in thousands)	\$57,192,863	\$23,845
Annual Payroll (in thousands)	\$3,764,944	\$3,393

	Manufactur	ing	
<u>1997</u>	Wisconsin	Sawyer	
Number of Establishments	9,936	39	
Number of Employees	562,479	859	
Total Payroll (in 1,000's)	\$18,766,395	\$22,427	
Production Workers, average number	416,254	695	
Production Worker Hours (in 1,000's)	837,444	1,345	
Production Worker Wages (in 1,000's)	\$11,952,570	\$16,159	
Value Added (in 1,000's)	\$54,947,083	\$60,715	
Value of Shipments (in 1,000's)	\$117,382,992	\$137,307	

2002 Top Employers

Top Five Manufacturing Firms	Number Employed	Product/Type of Business
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	100-249	Reconstituted Wood Products
Dynea Overlays Inc.	50-99	Coated and Laminated Papers
Concor Tool & Machine Inc.	50-99	Industrial Machinery & Equipment
Hayward Wood Products	50-99	Sawmills and Planing Mills
Trussworks Inc.	50-99	Structural Wood Members
Top Five Non-Manufacturing Fire	<u>ms</u>	
Lac Courte Oreilles Casino & Conv	rention Center 250-499	Amusement & Recreation Services
County of Sawyer	250-499	Executive & Legislative Govt.
Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal	250-499	General Government
Hayward Community School Distric	t 250-499	Elementary and Secondary School
Wal-Mart Associates Inc.	250-499	General Merchandise Stores

Employment by maustry		
<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
(L)	(L)	(L)
313	454	770
461	595	851
135	171	221
1,218	1,445	2,176
1,886	2,356	3,873
729	831	1,212
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In Thousands:	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Mining	\$282	(L)	\$0
Construction	\$3,302	\$9,180	\$17,743
Manufacturing	\$6,563	\$14,858	\$30,391
Transportation and Public Utilities	\$1,906	\$2,963	\$6,985
Trade	\$10,691	\$16,003	\$35,743
Services	\$16,182	\$26,379	\$73,133
Government	\$8,645	\$18,728	\$36,566

Natural Resources

	Wisconsin	Sawyer
Land Area (square miles)	54,310	1,256
Total Forest Land (in thousands of acres)	15,964.8	667.5
Commercial	15,702.5	641.7
Non-Commercial	262.3	25.8
Percent Land in Forests	46%	83%
Number of Lakes	15,057	496
Total Acreage of Lakes	982,155	56,183

Farming

1997	Wisconsin	Sawyer
Number of Farms	65,602	184
Land in Farms (acres)	14,900,205	48,463
Average size of Farm (acres)	227	263
Sales by Selected Products (in 1,000's):		
Hay, Silage, and Field Seeds	\$106,572	\$290
Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons	\$149,443	(DS)
Fruits, Nuts, and Berries	\$140,140	\$2,106
Nursery and Greenhouse Crops	\$157,348	\$233
Poultry and Poultry Products	\$241,523	\$6
Dairy Products	\$2,746,950	\$5,176
Cattle and Calves	\$670,518	\$1,109
Hogs and Pigs	\$151,164	\$59

Notes:

(NA) - Not available

(DS) - Data suppressed; not shown to avoid disclosure of confidential information

(L) - Less than 10 persons employed in "Employed by Industry" or less than \$50,000 in "Income by Industry"

Number of Single-Unit Structures - Number of housing units standing alone

Number of Multiple-Unit Structures - Number of housing units connected to another structure, including other housing units

Percent Factory Jobs - Percent of employed persons working in factories

Services - Includes services and finance, insurance, and real estate

Trade - Includes retail and wholesale trade

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